

Ypsen Harben Minimus

Purpose

Ypsen Harben Minimus introduces a new type of hunting for the treble, repeatedly making *points* at either end of the row.

The other three bells ring the method which can be quite challenging, including *snaps* at handstroke and backstroke, which may be a new skill.

There are clear treble signposts.

Ringing Ypsen Harben Minimus

The treble hunts but instead of leading and lying it makes a *point* at the lead and the back. This means that the treble hunts up in the usual way but hunts back down to the lead *wrong*. The *point* at the back is made at handstroke and the *point* at the lead is made at backstroke.

The working bells all *snap* with the treble at front and back. The *snap* at the front is made at backstroke. The *snap* at the back is made at handstroke.

Because there are three blows at the front and back, places are made *right* when hunting up, but *wrong* when hunting back down.

Places are made immediately after passing the treble in both directions.

Jargon

A *point* is a piece of work where a single blow is made, reversing the direction of hunting.

A *snap* is a single blow in a place before returning to the original position, like half a dodge.

Wrong places are made when the first blow of the places is made at backstroke and the second blow at handstroke.

Wrong hunting is plain hunt starting on the backstroke. Hunting wrong can feel strange.